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3. **Channel Depth**

there were two "small" bucket-type dredges in subject port, one which was in operation near the Papenwasser portion of the channel leading through Stettiner Haff. this dredge worked on Sundays.

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4. Merchant Vessels

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at one time there were six vessels moored along the west side of Breslauer Fahrt.

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5. Naval Vessels

four or five naval vessels moored at Swinemunde six PT boats, in column, proceeding to sea. identified as "P-4" class (1st variation) PTs.

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6. Shipyards

four or five 3-5 thousand gross ton vessels under construction at a shipyard were to be launched sideways and

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were all painted with red-lead.

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7. Submarines

no submarines were sighted in or near Swinemunde.

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9. Miscellaneous

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(b) Harbor Craft

two "not too powerful" tugs

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(c) East German Cargo

preferential handling is given all East German cargo.

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(d) Weather Temperature ranged between 60 to 75° F. The only unusual weather encountered was when north to northeast winds of force 6 developed.

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(e) Controls and Shore Activities

A large number of Polish sailors were seen in town. These enlisted men seemed to be partial to the Continental Hotel. women were available in the city and syphilis and gonorrhea as a result of the availability. Soviet soldiers in the downtown area, red star on their caps, and again on the beach in the southern portion of Demmsche See, to the southeast of Reinerwerder Hafen, several truckloads of Soviet soldiers apparently taken to the beach to swim.

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